

Meeting of Virgin River Water Users  
Feb. 1, 1965 at 2:30 P. M.  
Washington County Court House

Meeting was called to order by Mr. Donald Norseth of the State Engineer's Office. Winferd Spendlove was appointed chairman of the meeting.

Minutes of the 1964 meeting were read by the Secretary and on a motion duly seconded and passed, they were accepted as read.

Lawrence Hinton, Commissioner, reported on last years distribution.

The financial reports were presented by Mr. Norseth. On motion by Evan J. Woodbury, duly seconded and passed, they were accepted as read.

On a motion by Ray S. Schmutz, seconded by Evan S. Lee, the budget was set at approximately the same as last year with the exception of the outstanding debt account, to total \$1,650. This was passed without opposition.

Motion by Evan J. Woodbury that Lawrence Hinton be recommended as Commissioner for 1965, provided that if he is unable to act he will let us know by March 15. Seconded by Evan Lee and passed. This recommendation was accepted by Mr. Norseth for the State Engineer.

Mr. Norseth commented on the probable effects of the Dixie Project. He encouraged all water users to check their water rights and records of water distribution to them. The days of open high water rights are about over. More and more in the future we will have our water only within limits we can beneficially use.

Adjourned at 3:17 P. M.

Committee appointed as follows: Wayne Wilson and Winferd Spendlove--Hurricane LaVerkin; Rex Frei and Evan J. Woodbury--St. George; Evan S. Lee--Up river users.

Roster of Attendance:

Donald C. Norseth  
Earl M. Staker  
Wm. Joe Melling  
Frederick R. Brueck  
A. W. Anderson  
Winferd Spendlove  
Lawrence Hinton,  
~~Evan S. Lee~~ *Arnell Wemille*  
Larry Ballard  
Evan J. Woodbury  
Don F. Schmutz  
Ray S. Schmutz  
Dewey Hirschi

State Engineer's Office

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Area Engineer

Zion National Park

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Hurricane Canal Co.

Commissioner

Virgin

Hall & Grafton Co

St. George & Washington Canal Co.

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Rockville Ditch Co.

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*Ray S. Schmutz*  
Ray S. Schmutz, Secretary

*Copies given to  
Frank Reese May 5, 1965*